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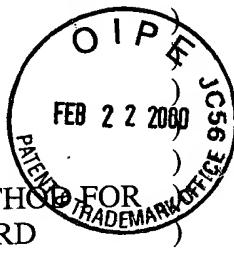
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For: A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
USING A SMART CARD

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ESTABLISHMENT OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS, REQUEST FOR REFUND, AND
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(Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.27, 1.28(a)(1), and 1.26(a))

Sir:

The above-referenced application was filed on December 17, 1999 under large entity status and a check was submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in the amount of \$1,618.00. The above-referenced application should have been filed under small entity status with a check in the amount of \$774.00. Accordingly, Applicants hereby request establishment of small entity status pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.27 and 1.28(a)(1). An Assignment in connection with a Verified Statement (Declaration) Claiming Small Entity Status are submitted herewith for filing. Applicants hereby respectfully request a refund in the amount of \$844.00 to be paid to the order of "Blakely, Sokoloff, Taylor & Zafman" pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.26(a).

A copy of the original check mailed as payment of the above-referenced patent application is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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APPLICANT OR PATENTEE: PATHMASUNTHARAM ET AL. ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NO. 04404.P002
SERIAL OR PATENT NO.: 09/466,144 FILED/ISSUE DATE: 12/17/99
A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR USING A SMART CARD

VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS
37 CFR 1.9(f) AND 1.27(b) -- NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION

I hereby declare that I am an official empowered to act on behalf of the nonprofit organization identified below:

NAME OF ORGANIZATION Centre for Wireless Communications of National University of Singapore
ADDRESS OF ORGANIZATION 20 Science Park Road, #02-34/37, TeleTech Park, Singapore Science Park II,
Singapore 117674

TYPE OF ORGANIZATION

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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I hereby declare that the nonprofit organization identified above qualifies as a nonprofit organization as defined in 37 CFR 1.9(e) for purposes of paying reduced fees under section 41(a) and (b) of Title 35, United States Code, with regard to the invention entitled A SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR USING A SMART CARD by inventor(s) Jaya Shankar Pathmasuntharam, described in:

Cheng Lin Tan

THE SPECIFICATION FILED HEREWITH.
 APPLICATION SERIAL NO.: 09/466,144, FILED: 12/17/99
 PATENT NO.: _____, ISSUED: _____

I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the nonprofit organization with regard to the above-identified invention and I have reviewed the document that evidences the conveyance of those rights. That document

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If the rights held by the nonprofit organization are not exclusive, each individual, concern or organization having rights to the invention is listed below and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who could not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d) or by any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d) or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e). NOTE: Separate verified statements are required from each named person, concern or organization having rights to the invention averring to their status as small entities. (37 CFR 1.27)

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I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate. (37 CFR 1.28(b))

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under §1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

NAME OF PERSON SIGNING: LYE KIN MUN

TITLE IN ORGANIZATION: DIRECTOR

ADDRESS OF PERSON SIGNING: CENTRE FOR WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS, 20 SCIENCE PARK ROAD, #02-34/37, TELETECH PARK, SINGAPORE SCIENCE PARK II, SINGAPORE 117674

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DATE: 21/1/2000